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## HOUSE BILL NO. 1063

Introduced by: The Committee on Transportation at the request of the Department of  
Transportation

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to repeal the requirement for resident pilot registration.

2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

3 Section 1. That § 50-11-8 be amended to read as follows:

4 50-11-8. Unless otherwise expressly provided by the provisions of this chapter, the federal  
5 certificates of every civil aircraft owned and operated within this state shall be registered  
6 annually, ~~and the federal certificates of all resident pilots shall be registered biennially~~ with the  
7 secretary of transportation in the manner prescribed in §§ 50-11-9 to 50-11-31, inclusive. The  
8 required fee shall be paid to the director at the time of registration. A violation of this section  
9 is a Class 2 misdemeanor.

10 Section 2. That § 50-11-11 be amended to read as follows:

11 50-11-11. Aircraft registration required by this chapter expires on the thirty-first day of  
12 March following the calendar year in which the registration is made. ~~Pilot registration required~~  
13 ~~by this chapter expires on the thirty-first day of March in the second calendar year after which~~  
14 ~~the registration is made.~~

15 Section 3. That § 50-11-24 be repealed.



1 ~~50-11-24. Any person operating any aircraft within this state shall, except as otherwise~~  
2 ~~expressly provided, biennially, on or before the thirty-first day of March, register with the~~  
3 ~~secretary of transportation, the person's federal airman's certificate issued under the authority~~  
4 ~~of the United States and shall biennially pay to the secretary a fee of twenty dollars. Failure to~~  
5 ~~register and pay the fee before the time set by this section is a Class 2 misdemeanor. A~~  
6 ~~certificate showing the registration may be issued by the secretary as the Aeronautics~~  
7 ~~Commission deems proper. The commission may prescribe requirements for the possession and~~  
8 ~~exhibition of the certificate.~~